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25. (new) The labeled polypeptide as claimed in claim 24, which comprises the amino acid sequence represented by SEQ ID NO:61 or SEQ ID NO:64, and C-terminus of the polypeptide is amidated.

26. (new) A labeled polypeptide which comprises the amino acid sequence represented by SEQ ID NO:61 or SEQ ID NO:64, and the C-terminus of the polypeptide is amidated and labeled with [¹²⁵I].

27. (new) A polypeptide which comprises an amino acid sequence represented by SEQ ID NO:61 or SEQ ID NO:64, wherein the C-terminus of the polypeptide is amidated.--

Please cancel claims 1-20 without prejudice.

REMARKS

Claims 1-20 have been cancelled without prejudice and claims 21-27 have been added. No new matter is presented by virtue of this Amendment.

Applicants respectfully request entry of this Amendment prior to examination.

Early consideration and allowance of the application are earnestly solicited.

Respectfully submitted,

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